IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

General Electric Company,

Plaintiff-Counter-Defendant,

Case No. 08-cv-298-bbc

v.

SonoSite, Inc.,

Defendant-Counter-Plaintiff.

PLAINTIFF-COUNTER-DEFENDANT GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT OF INVALIDITY AND NONINFRINGEMENT OF U.S. PATENT NO. 5,722,412

Pursuant to Rule 56 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiff-Counter-Defendant General Electric Company ("GE") hereby moves for summary judgment against Defendant-Counter-Plaintiff SonoSite, Inc. as to the following:

- 1) GE's claim for a declaration of invalidity under 35 U.S.C. §§ 102, 103 and/or 112 of U.S. Patent No. 5,722,412 (claims 11 through 14 and 15 through 18), as set forth in GE's Complaint (DKT 1);
- 2) GE's reply counterclaim for a declaration of noninfringement of U.S. Patent No. 5,722,412 (claims 11 through 14 and 16 through 18) for the accused Venue 40, as set forth in GE's Reply (DKT 38); and
- 3) GE's reply counterclaim for a declaration of noninfringement of U.S. Patent No. 5,722,412 (claims 11 through 14 and 16 through 18) for the accused lightweight Venue 40 under the doctrine of equivalents, as set forth in GE's Reply (DKT 38).

In support of this motion, GE submits the accompanying Brief in Support of Summary Judgment, Statement of Proposed Findings of Fact, and the following declarations:

- a) Declaration of Menachem Halmann, Ph.D. in Support of Plaintiff-Counter-Defendant General Electric Company's Motion for Summary Judgment of Invalidity and Noninfringement of U.S. Patent No. 5,722,412;
- b) Declaration of Mark. E. Schafer, Ph.D. in Support of Plaintiff-Counter-Defendant General Electric Company's Motion for Summary Judgment of Invalidity and Noninfringement of U.S. Patent No. 5,722,412; and
- c) Declaration of Robert McAlhany Jr. in Support of Plaintiff-Counter-Defendant General Electric Company's Motion for Summary Judgment of Invalidity and Noninfringement of U.S. Patent No. 5,722,412.

This Motion is further based on all papers and records on file in this action and such oral argument as may be presented at the hearing of this Motion.

Respectfully submitted,

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